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Dear Les:

Attached hereto is a copy of an Examiner's amendment relating to the above-identified application. Would you, Norm Rainer and the others concerned kindly check the language to determine whether or not it is appropriate and whether or not it conforms to your understanding of the amendments which we had discussed by telephone on several occasions.

This letter will also serve to confirm our receipt of your letter of January 31, 1977 requesting the filing of a divisional application.

Sincerely,

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